

So far as we can form an opinion from published documents, the Governor's conduct in relation to Indian lands has been highly creditable, and we are glad that the President has looked at it without subjecting him to censure. But he has nothing to commend to an offence in one case, which he committed in another. The army officers arraigned by the Commissioner of Indian Affairs are culpable as the Governor; the whole correspondence proves this; let punishment be visited upon them all. And, in appointing a successor to Governor Reeder, the Public will expose at least to some charge for the worse in regard to Slavery. We are not an admirer of the present incumbent. Aside from his land speculations, he has, we think, fallen short of his duty to the actual settlers of Kansas. He ought never to have recognised the validity of the election in that Territory. It was a palpable, stupendous fraud; he knew it, for such he proclaimed it; he had the power to set it aside and ought to have done it.

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